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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I have been a Sonic customer for 8 years now and I chose this company because the offering was better than ATT.

I think it will be a setback to customers like me if anything is done that weakens the competitive landscape. Competition is good for customers. Less competition is bad for customers. We have just gotten fiber in our neighborhood through sonic and are grateful for that.

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